

# MSCI USA SMID Cap Index (USD)

The MSCI USA SMID Cap Index captures mid and small cap representations across the US equity market. With 1,952 constituents, the index covers approximately 28% of the free float-adjusted market capitalization in US.

For a complete description of the index methodology, please see [Index methodology - MSCI](#).

## CUMULATIVE INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (USD) (MAR 2011 – MAR 2026)



## ANNUAL PERFORMANCE (%)

Year	MSCI USA SMID Cap	MSCI USA	MSCI World SMID Cap
2025	10.35	17.75	18.94
2024	13.82	25.08	10.08
2023	16.72	27.10	16.20
2022	-17.71	-19.46	-18.54
2021	22.70	26.97	17.19
2020	19.98	21.37	16.27
2019	29.16	31.64	27.43
2018	-9.68	-4.50	-13.17
2017	18.57	21.90	23.55
2016	16.03	11.61	10.41
2015	-2.60	1.32	0.05
2014	10.01	13.36	4.07
2013	36.59	32.61	30.54
2012	17.49	16.13	17.54

## INDEX PERFORMANCE – GROSS RETURNS (%) (MAR 31, 2026)

	1 Mo	3 Mo	1 Yr	YTD	ANNUALIZED				Since May 31, 1994
					3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	Since May 31, 1994	
MSCI USA SMID Cap	-5.82	0.19	16.68	0.19	12.51	6.14	10.93	10.50	
MSCI USA	-4.90	-4.52	17.74	-4.52	18.38	11.62	14.16	10.79	
MSCI World SMID Cap	-7.59	0.30	21.32	0.30	13.45	6.28	9.74	8.35	

## FUNDAMENTALS (MAR 31, 2026)

Div Yld (%)	P/E	P/E Fwd	P/BV
1.60	26.70	17.88	2.72
1.24	25.67	19.96	5.14
2.07	23.10	16.33	2.19

## INDEX RISK AND RETURN CHARACTERISTICS (MAR 31, 2026)

	Turnover (%) <sup>1</sup>	ANNUALIZED STD DEV (%) <sup>2</sup>			SHARPE RATIO <sup>2,3</sup>			Since May 31, 1994	MAXIMUM DRAWDOWN	
		3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr	3 Yr	5 Yr	10 Yr		(%)	Period YYYY-MM-DD
MSCI USA SMID Cap	10.77	16.44	17.92	18.34	0.51	0.23	0.53	0.49	59.15	2007-07-13–2009-03-09
MSCI USA	2.23	12.31	15.48	15.26	1.06	0.58	0.80	0.58	54.91	2007-10-09–2009-03-09
MSCI World SMID Cap	9.85	14.82	16.62	16.91	0.61	0.25	0.50	0.40	60.40	2007-07-13–2009-03-09

<sup>1</sup> Last 12 months <sup>2</sup> Based on monthly gross returns data

<sup>3</sup> Based on NY FED Overnight SOFR from Sep 1 2021 & on ICE LIBOR 1M prior that date

The MSCI USA SMID Cap Index was launched on Jun 05, 2007. Data prior to the launch date is back-tested test (i.e. calculations of how the index might have performed over that time period had the index existed). There are frequently material differences between back-tested performance and actual results. Past performance -- whether actual or back-tested -- is no indication or guarantee of future performance.

**INDEX CHARACTERISTICS**

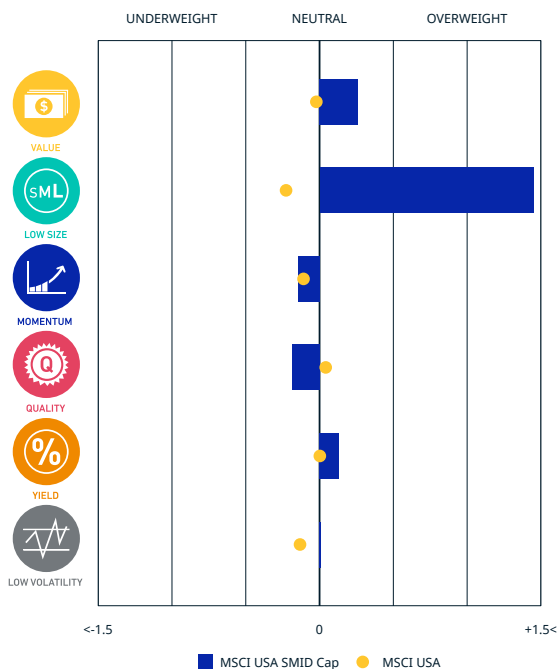
MSCI USA SMID Cap	
<b>Number of Constituents</b>	1,952
Mkt Cap (USD Millions)	
<b>Index</b>	13,165,052.67
<b>Largest</b>	91,016.02
<b>Smallest</b>	76.13
<b>Average</b>	6,744.39
<b>Median</b>	2,960.44

**TOP 10 CONSTITUENTS**

	Float Adj Mkt Cap (USD Billions)	Index Wt. (%)	Sector
VERTIV HOLDINGS A	91.02	0.69	Industrials
SANDISK	88.46	0.67	Info Tech
SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY	85.35	0.65	Info Tech
QUANTA SERVICES	81.87	0.62	Industrials
WARNER BROS DISCOVERY	64.65	0.49	Comm Srvcs
BAKER HUGHES CO	60.24	0.46	Energy
CIENA CORP	54.68	0.42	Info Tech
TARGA RESOURCES CORP	53.82	0.41	Energy
FASTENAL CO	53.27	0.40	Industrials
MONOLITHIC POWER SYSTEMS	52.38	0.40	Info Tech
<b>Total</b>	<b>685.74</b>	<b>5.21</b>	

**FACTORS - KEY EXPOSURES THAT DRIVE RISK AND RETURN**

**MSCI FACTOR BOX**



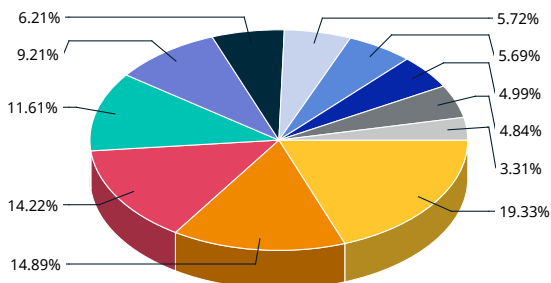
**MSCI FaCS**

- VALUE**  
Relatively Inexpensive Stocks
- LOW SIZE**  
Smaller Companies
- MOMENTUM**  
Rising Stocks
- QUALITY**  
Sound Balance Sheet Stocks
- YIELD**  
Cash Flow Paid Out
- LOW VOLATILITY**  
Lower Risk Stocks

MSCI FaCS provides absolute factor exposures relative to a broad global index - MSCI ACWI IMI.

Neutral factor exposure (FaCS = 0) represents MSCI ACWI IMI.

**SECTOR WEIGHTS**



- Industrials 19.33%
- Financials 14.89%
- Information Technology 14.22%
- Health Care 11.61%
- Consumer Discretionary 9.21%
- Real Estate 6.21%
- Utilities 5.72%
- Materials 5.69%
- Consumer Staples 4.99%
- Energy 4.84%
- Communication Services 3.31%

**MSCI FACTOR BOX AND FaCS FRAMEWORK (Please refer to complete description of the MSCI FaCS methodology [here](#))**

MSCI FaCS is a standard method for evaluating and reporting the Factor characteristics of equity portfolios. MSCI FaCS consists of Factor Groups (e.g. Value, Size, Momentum, Quality, Yield, and Volatility) that have been extensively documented in academic literature and validated by MSCI Research as key drivers of risk and return in equity portfolios. These Factor Groups are constructed by aggregating 16 factors (e.g. Book-to-Price, Earnings/Dividend Yields, LT Reversal, Leverage, Earnings Variability/Quality, Beta) from the latest Barra global equity factor risk model, GEMLT, designed to make fund comparisons transparent and intuitive for use. The MSCI Factor Box, which is powered by MSCI FaCS, provides a visualization designed to easily compare absolute exposures of funds/indexes and their benchmarks along 6 Factor Groups that have historically demonstrated excess market returns over the long run.

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